



Applicant : Thomas Remmler )  
Serial No.: 10/646,479 ) Art Unit: 3643  
File Date : 8/23/03 ) Examiner: B.Griles  
For : ANIMAL SURGICAL TRAY ) Confirmation No. 9309  
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

In response to the Office Action of February 18, 2004,  
applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of  
the rejection of the claims for the following reasons: